



STATE BOARD OF CORRECTIONS

POLICY NUMBER: 10-6

SUBJECT: Real And Personal Property

DATE: July 16, 2003

- 10-6.1 **POLICY.** As the custodian of all real and personal property of state correctional facilities, the Board of Corrections is authorized to take certain actions in the name of the Commonwealth or upon approval of the Governor.

Any suit or proceeding to protect the rights of the Commonwealth in such property shall be instituted and prosecuted in the name of the Commonwealth by the Board.

Subject to approval of the Board and the Governor, the Department of Corrections shall determine the need and select the site for any new correctional facility. This is to include any land to be taken or purchased by the Commonwealth for any new or existing state correctional facility.

The original names of all state correctional facilities shall be designated by the Board after due consideration of all recommendations and such name submitted to the Governor for approval.

- 10-6.2 **AUTHORITY.** Code of Virginia, Sections

53.1-18, Board to Have Custody of Property; Right to Sue to Protect Property
53.1-19, Establishment of Correctional Institutions

- 10-6.3 **REFERENCES.** None.

- 10-6.4 **IMPLEMENTING PROCEDURES.** None.

- 10-6.5 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** July 16, 2003.

- 10-6.6 **SUPERSESSSION.** This policy supersedes Board Policy 10-6, dated September 17, 1998.

- 10-6.7 **REVIEW DATE.** This policy must be reviewed and updated as necessary.

Adopted by the Board of Corrections on May 21, 2003.

Signature Copy on File

Sterling C. Proffitt
Acting Chairman
Board of Corrections